

GREATER BRIDGEPORT AND VALLEY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

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MEMO

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DATE: June 23, 2015

RE: Resolutions Adopted at June 23, 2015 Regular MPO Meeting

Attached, please find copies of the resolutions adopted by the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO at its June 23, 2015 meeting. The resolutions adopted by the MPO were:

- **Resolution 2015-13 – Amendment of the FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program, Federal Highway Administration Programs**
- **Resolution 2015-14 – Amendment of the FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program, Federal Transit Administration Programs**
- **Resolution 2015-15 – Endorsement of the FFY 2016 and 2017 Unified Planning Work Program, Greater Bridgeport Regional Council**
- **Resolution 2015-16 – Endorsement of the FFY 2016 and 2017 Unified Planning Work Program, Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments**

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The above resolutions were adopted and endorsed by the GBVMPO at a regular meeting at which a quorum was present and after adhering to the public involvement process, as stipulated in the MPO's public participation program handbook. If you have any questions or comments regarding the MPO's action of June 23rd or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact the appropriate RPO.

RESOLUTION 2015-13

**AMENDMENT
FFY 2015-2018 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
FHWA PROGRAMS**

WHEREAS, the Greater Bridgeport and Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is authorized by the *Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century (MAP-21)* and related US Department of Transportation regulations to prepare, endorse; and periodically amend a short range Transportation Improvement Program for the 10-town MPO area within the Bridgeport-Stamford Urbanized Area;

WHEREAS, the MPO endorsed the *FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program for the Greater Bridgeport and Valley Planning Regions (TIP)* at its June 23, 2015, meeting; and the US Department of Transportation (Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration) have approved the *State FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)*;

WHEREAS, the *MAP-21* allocates funds to the State of Connecticut under various federal transportation assistance programs administered by the Federal Highway Administration;

WHEREAS, the *MAP-21* planning guidelines require the *TIP/STIP* to be fiscally constrained to available program funds;

WHEREAS, the Connecticut Department of Transportation is requesting amendments to the *TIP/STIP* to add program funding to continue on-going projects listed in the current *TIP/STIP*;

WHEREAS, these amendments represent minor modifications of the *TIP/STIP* and involve projects that are exempt from the regional emissions analyses and do not necessitate a new air quality analysis;

WHEREAS, the public notification and review of these proposed amendments was consistent with and followed the procedures set forth in the MPO's *Public Participation Program Handbook*, as amended, and the proposed amendments are consistent with the goals and objectives of the long-range transportation plans of the Greater Bridgeport and Valley Planning Regions.

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NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO endorses the amendment of the *FFY 2015-2018 Transportation Improvement Program* to include the projects as described and listed in the attachment to this resolution.

This resolution shall become effective as of June 23, 2015.

We, the undersigned co-secretaries of Greater Bridgeport and Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), Connecticut, do hereby certify that the resolution adopted by the MPO at a public meeting held on June 23, 2015, at which a quorum was present and that the same is a correct and true transcript from the original thereof.

Respectfully submitted,



Brian Bidolli, Executive Director
GBRC – MPO Co-Secretary



Richard T. Dunne, Executive Director
NVCOG – MPO Co-Secretary

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**AMENDMENTS (FHWA)
FFY 2015-2018 TIP/STIP**

Region	FACode	Project Number	Rte/Sys	Town	Description	Phase	Year	Total \$(000)	Federal \$(000)	State \$(000)	Local \$(000)	Comments
7	CMAQ	0015-0345	I-95	BRIDGEPORT	ROUTE 8 AREA CCTV	CON	2015	3,500	3,500	0	0	INCREASE FFY '15 AC CONV. FROM ESTIMATE FED. \$2.25M & REMOVE STATE SHARE (100% FED.)
7	CMAQ	0015-0345	I-95	BRIDGEPORT	ROUTE 8 AREA CCTV	CON	2016	3,500	3,500	0	0	INCREASE FFY '16 AC CONV. FROM ESTIMATE FED. \$2.25M & REMOVE STATE SHARE (100% FED.)

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RESOLUTION 2015-14

AMENDMENT

**FFY 2015-2018 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
FTA PROGRAMS**

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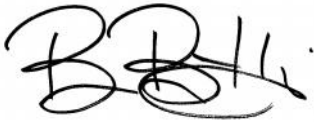
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**AMEDMENTS (FTA)
FFY 2015-2018 TIP/STIP**

Region	FACode	Project Number	Rte/Sys	Town	Description	Phase	Year	Total \$(000)	Federal \$(000)	State \$(000)	Local \$(000)
07	5307P	410-0077	GBTA	Bridgeport	GBTA - Replace 25 2003 35-ft & 15 2003 40-ft Buses FY 15	OTH	2015	8,169	6,535	1,634	0
07	5307P	410-0078	GBTA	Bridgeport	GBTA - 710 Water Street Bus Station Repairs	CON	2015	150	120	30	0
07	5307C	410-0078	GBTA	Bridgeport	GBTA - Replacement of 24 Paratransit Vehicles	OTH	2015	2,389	1,911	478	0

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RESOLUTION 2015-15

ADOPTION

**FY 2016 AND 2017 UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM
GREATER BRIDGEPORT REGIONAL COUNCIL**

WHEREAS, the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO is the federally designated transportation planning agency for the Greater Bridgeport and Valley planning region and receives metropolitan transportation planning funds from the US Department of Transportation to conduct the transportation planning process in conformity with federal planning guidelines;

WHEREAS, the Greater Bridgeport Regional Council is required to prepare a Unified Planning Work Program that describes the tasks it will undertake over the next two years;

WHEREAS, the Greater Bridgeport Regional Council has prepared the Unified Planning Work Program for FY 2016 and FY 2017.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO has reviewed the draft UPWP for the Greater Bridgeport Regional Council and adopts it as the UPWP for the MPO.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO authorizes the Executive Director of the Greater Bridgeport Regional Council to negotiate and execute any and all planning agreements with the Connecticut Department of Transportation relating to Unified Planning Work Program.

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RESOLUTION 2015-16

**ADOPTION
FY 2016 AND 2017 UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM
NAUGATUCK VALEY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS**

WHEREAS, the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO is the federally designated transportation planning agency for the Greater Bridgeport and Valley planning region and receives metropolitan transportation planning funds from the US Department of Transportation to conduct the transportation planning process in conformity with federal planning guidelines;

WHEREAS, the Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments is required to prepare a Unified Planning Work Program that describes the tasks it will undertake over the next two years;

WHEREAS, the Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments has prepared the Unified Planning Work Program for FY 2016 and FY 2017.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO has reviewed the draft UPWP for the Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments and adopts it as the UPWP for the MPO.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Greater Bridgeport and Valley MPO authorizes the Executive Director of the Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments to negotiate and execute any and all planning agreements with the Connecticut Department of Transportation relating to Unified Planning Work Program.

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